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ApplicantBellSouth Intellectual Property Corporation
Group Art Unit 2661
Examiner Brian D. Nguyen
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Title: System and Method for Delivering Personalized Messages to Selected Calling Parties

RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION DATED 7 MARCH 2006

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated 7 March 2006, for which a three-month shortened statutory period for response is set for 7 June 2006.

Please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Claims pending:

- At time of the Action: Claims 1-28.
- After this Response: Claims 1, 3, and 6-12.

Canceled or Withdrawn claims: 2, 4-5, and 13-28.

Amended claims: 1, 3, 6-8, and 12.

New claims: None.

Please amend the claims as indicated below: